



2008 EQIP Activity Sheet

Nutrient Management plus Nitrification Inhibitor Applied with Anhydrous Ammonia

Minimum Criteria to Qualify for the Nutrient Management plus Nitrification Inhibitor Applied with Anhydrous Ammonia Incentive

Purpose: To minimize nitrogen loss to the environment by using a nitrification inhibitor applied with anhydrous ammonia fertilizer within the Nutrient Management (590) conservation practice standard.

Note: This incentive applies only on tracts having no fields where nitrification inhibitor with anhydrous ammonia fertilizer has been used prior to signing a contract.

General Criteria:

- Anhydrous ammonia with nitrification inhibitor must be applied after the dates specified by region in NRCS Agronomy Technical Note 34 (http://www.mo.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/technotes_index.html).
- Materials applied as nitrification inhibitors must have an EPA label specifically for this purpose.
- Nitrification inhibitors shall be applied at rates recommended by the manufacturer.
- Applications of anhydrous ammonia with nitrification inhibitor shall not be made after the crop is planted unless specific guidance for later applications is provided in the nutrient management plan.

Documentation Required:

- Tracts and acres treated with anhydrous ammonia plus nitrification inhibitor.
- Receipts for anhydrous ammonia and nitrification inhibitor applied.
- Certification that requirements of the Nutrient Management (590) conservation practice standard were achieved. The individual certifying completion of the practices required by this incentive must complete and sign the MO-CONS-10 (<http://www.mo.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/forms/general.html>) or an equivalent form.

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